

## Kaihere Store (former)



**Location:** 1563 Kaihere Road, Kaihere

### Heritage Status

**Historic Places Trust Registration Number:**

**Historic Places Trust Category:**

**HDC Heritage Category:** C - Heritage Item. Local or Neighbourhood Significance

**Other:**

**Physical Description:** The former Kaihere Store is a timber clad gabled cottage with salt-box lean-to on the side and a front veranda. It is located adjacent to the butchery/storeroom/accommodation house.

The front windows and door have been replaced and there are now two windows above the veranda

**Other known names:**

**Notable features:** Iconic feature of Kaihere's history.

**Style:** Victorian Box Cottage

**Materials:** pit sawn timber, corrugated iron roof

**Date of Construction:** c.1917

**History:** The first Store/Post Office was run by Mrs J. M. Wallace from 1919-1920. It had been previously built from pit sawn timber by Mr. Johns in 1917. In 1920, Mrs Wallace persuaded her friends Mr and Mrs Archie. G. Davis to take over the shop. The Davis family moved into a two room residence adjacent to the store. This was built by Gus Arnes and added to by Mr.

### District Plan Schedule

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**Heritage Category:** C

### Heritage Type:

- Wahi Tapu
- Cultural Landscape
- Building
- Group of Buildings
- Structure
- Monument
- Historic Place
- Archaeological Site
- Other

### Date Period:

1911-1940

### Significance:

- Archaeological
- Architectural
- Cultural
- Historic
- Scientific
- Technological

### Thematic Context

- Maori
- Early Settlement
- Industry
- Extraction
- Forestry
- Agriculture
- Transport
- Communication
- Commerce
- Residential
- Social/Cultural
- Civic
- Health
- Educational
- Church/yard
- Other

# Historic Heritage Inventory

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The store closed in 1978. It is now used as a private residence.

**Architect:**

**Designer:**

**Builder:** J. M. Johns

**Engineer:**

**History of changes:**

**Condition:** Poor

**Integrity:** Altered sympathetically

**Current Uses:** Residential

**Former Uses:** General Store

**Registered owner:** Aart Stoevelaar

**Legal Description:** Sect 5 Blk I Kaihere Village

**Reference Source:** *Kaihere School 70th Jubilee* (1984); *Kaihere: History of the Hauraki Plains West District* (1940).

**Associated Pictures:**



**KAIHERE STORE, 1964**

Showing Mrs M. Davis, Christine Davis, F. L. Davis. The butchery once occupied by T. Burgess shows on left of storeroom.

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**KAIHERE STORE, 1921**

Original two-roomed accommodation on left of storeroom. Mr. Bob Nelson's bullock team in front of the store. The delivery waggonette is between the store and storeroom. The large horse-drawn waggon was owned by Bennys.